

MINUTES

Parks and Recreation

Date | time __10/15/18__ | __1840__ | *Meeting called to order by* __Jason Adomonis__

In Attendance

John Pozzi – Director, Jason Adomonis -Chair, Adam Petronio -Secretary

Approval of Minutes

Last Meeting 24 Sep 2018, submitted by Erica Harris-Grimes, read by Jason Adomonis, accepted as written.

Board

Discussions

___Volleyball startup – Purchase of Portable Pitcher Mound and sizes for Multi use fields & New Paint Machine. John Pozzi to submit prices for decision vote next meeting.

Grant Denied for Playground build. However, funding is provided by CPC & Selectman gave go ahead for Vendor Proposals. No Splash pad. Need to include annual Maintenance costs.

Fundraiser for P&R T-shirts for revolving account. Volunteer and staff versions. Zip code on the back. Approximately \$4-\$9 / shirt profit margin. Provides Advertising. Need a new logo design for P&R that is Icon friendly and represents just P&R Seekonk. Suggestion to have a promotion and award for the Advance Crafts group. Title Winning Icon Design concept. \$25, \$50, \$100 award concept and advertising costs.

New suggestion for an “Artists Village” projected to be built in conjunction with the old Dye plant area rehab project. Take advantage of growing local artists and provide possible revolving account income stream IOT defray annual budget costs. A board walk with a series of 10x12 sheds with electricity, Restrooms, Food stands, Phone, & Canoe launch. – Adam & John will discuss the feasibility with Town Planner and Conservation director on Monday October 29th during the Open Space & Recreation Plan Working group.

Trunk or Treat event 27 Oct 2-4 Pm – Costs are nominal and approved.

Discussion to move kids crafts to Friday after school 330 – 530 pm at the senior center. Get a cost analysis for Trembleys to bus students from Aitken and Martin schools to the senior center with a parent pickup. Parent Pickup and registration process to be decided but probably on the My Rec site.

Budget

New Website with online registration and payment by program through MyRec.

<https://seekonkma.myrec.com/info/default.aspx>

Director's Report

Director John Pozzi Presented his report.

John reported that we need to replace the trailers at Water lane with a brand new 80x45 building quote. Security, water damage, and faulty wiring have been discovered at this site and action is needed. The 80 x 45 construction will have 3 'storage' bays and office space for Parks and Rec. this quote will need to be prepared and submitted on the Thursday before the 19th November Selectman meeting. Adam also suggested that an automated Key control system will need to be added to this building construction project and suggested some ideas based on what he has seen the military use.

Plans for Pleasant Street. John is waiting for clarification from the town for purpose/ intent and a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) to be finalized between the town and school boards.

New Business

- Artist Village
- Portable Pitcher Mound
- T-Shirt Fundraiser
- P&R Icon competition.

Old Business

- Water Lane building project
- Pleasant Street Plans.
- Trunk or Treat
- Playground project

Committee Reports

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- Membership
- Volunteers
- Newsletter
- Computer Support

Announcements

Adam Petronio is back from deployment leave. One vacancy for P&R will need to be filled by talent bank submissions.

Next Meeting

Date | time, Location: Monday, 5th November, 2018 06:30 – 08:30 p.m.

Motion to adjourn was made at 08:15 p.m. and was passed unanimously.